

## SUBMARINE SIGNAL MAKES SEA SAFER

Gray-Mundy Signal System  
Important Invention.

### NO DANGER OF COLLISION

Approach of Another Vessel or Proximity of Perilous Shoal or Reef Immediately Noted.

BOSTON, Jan. 16.—Tested rigorously under what naval officers call service conditions, the submarine signal system invented by Prof. Gray and Arthur J. Mundy takes rank among the most important discoveries of the century. The final experiments made on the run of the steamship James S. Whitney from New York to this port, were successful in every particular, and J. B. Millett, general manager of the Submarine Signal Company, which controls the device, is ready to demonstrate publicly the invention's practical value to the commercial world.

### No More Collisions at Sea.

The system, it is said, virtually will annihilate the danger of collisions at sea in any kind of weather. By its use the master of a vessel, standing at the wheel, can have instant knowledge of the approach of another ship even when from six to ten miles separate the two, and will know when he is nearing perilous shoals or reefs long before any whistling or bell buoy could send warning through a heavy fog.

Atmospheric conditions have no effect on the submarine signal, for the ocean itself is the transmitting medium, and the vibrations that speed from a derelict, a dangerous coast and a ship in distress travel many feet below the surface.

No matter how turbulent the waves, the current of communication remains unbroken. Indeed, the more violent the weather the clearer the alarm, for the greater the strength of the sound waves traveling to the delicate receiver. The idea is a specific application of one of the myriad hazy suggestions floating through Verne's imaginative stories, and an enthusiasm present at the crucial test of the system easily might have fancied itself to be a prophecy.

Not only does the Gray signal system inform sailing masters of the proximity of danger, but it enables them to get their bearings in the worst of weather conditions.

Directly in line with that idea, the inventors pointed out, is the practicability of extensive communication between vessels or between a vessel and a shore station. Once the code is prepared, a submarine signal will become doubtless a swifter and certainly a surer medium of conversation between ships than the wireless telegraph, as it is immune from meteorological disturbances and, presumably, is less liable to international interruption in time of war.

Valuable as the discovery is to the marine interests of all nations in time of peace, it will be of equal use in international conflicts to the country controlling it. The Gray apparatus will warn the commander of a war vessel of the approach of any enemy, from battleship to submarine torpedo boat. Equipped with the device, any warship will be as safe from sudden attack as if in a landlocked harbor.

## GLOVER SPURNS PAROLE AND GOES TO PRISON

Former Representative Defies Colorado Authorities, and Will Make Test Case Against Them.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Col., Jan. 16.—John M. Glover, former Representative in Congress from Missouri, has been again arrested by a military squad, and placed in the county jail. Mr. Glover, who fought the military three weeks ago and was shot in the arm, was then locked up, but subsequently released upon parole and upon condition that he stay away from Cripple Creek.

He wrote to Colonel Verdeckberg, who is enforcing the law, that he would no longer be bound by his parole, and returned to Cripple Creek. Verdeckberg immediately ordered his arrest. Glover did not resist arrest, but protested against being placed in jail. No charge was preferred against him.

At the jail Glover said that his counsel would begin proceedings in the Federal Court against Governor Peabody, the State military authorities and others under the civil rights act, alleging conspiracy to deprive him of his rights under the Federal Constitution.

## SPITTERS HAD TO CLEAN BEFOULLED SIDEWALK

Health Commissioner of Western City Made Them Mop It Up.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 16.—Health Commissioner O'Hage has begun a campaign against spitting on the sidewalks and in public places. A dozen spitters in front of the Grand Theater were forced by health officers to take out their handkerchiefs and mop the sidewalks that had befouled. More than this number escaped arrest by obeying the orders of inspectors at the Star Theater.

The humiliation of the offenders was deep. A crowd gathered about the Metropolitan Theater front, expecting to see the officers give their orders, but the news of the crusade had spread. There were two inspectors at the Grand entrance, two at the Star, and two at the Metropolitan Theater. The warning will be general. It applies equally to street spitters.

## VAULT IS BLOWN OPEN AND THE BANK ROBBED

ROANOKE, Va., Jan. 16.—The vault of the First National Bank of Rocky Mount was blown open with dynamite this morning and \$1500 in silver stolen. The town was aroused by the explosion and search made for burglars, but they escaped.

## Washington Physicians Succeed With Radium

Cancer Is Cured in Several Instances by the Direct Application of Metallic Salts in Tubes.

Washington can challenge any claim which the physicians of New York and Chicago may make for the credit of first effecting the cure of cancer with radium. While the fact has been published in those cities that radium is to play an important part in medical science in the future, there are several prominent local physicians who for a long time have been experimenting with this wonderful salt. They have been most successful, and a number of remarkable cures may be placed to their credit.

Two Patients Cured. Strict rules of medical etiquette, however, have served to keep the results of these investigations secret. It was only by a careful investigation that a reporter for The Times was enabled to discover the large amount of work done with radium in the local medical field. Some of the physicians dare to appear in print for fear of getting in trouble with the medical societies.

The reporter saw two patients who have been cured of malignant diseases and was fortunate enough to see the remedy applied to a third. If Dr. Norton, of New York, who it may be noted, is a son of the discoverer of ether, is able to report three cases cured by radium, and two more who are absolutely being cured, he can lay claim to having accomplished no more whistling or bell buoy could send warning through a heavy fog.

Afflicted With Lupus. This doctor and his co-workers make no pretense of attempting to cure radium as a curative agent. They admit a considerable number of failures, but they report a certain number of remarkable cures, among them a dispensary patient, a negro, previously treated at the clinics in New York, and this city, and pronounced by both of these places as an absolutely hopeless case, after prolonged treatment with the x-ray.

This was a patient with the most severe form of lupus—a type which up to the advent of the x-ray was incurable, and even now is slightly, if at all, influenced by this agent. This patient was treated three or four times a week for an interval extending over six weeks. The radium in a little glass tube was applied directly to the affected parts, and allowed to remain from half an hour to an hour. Nothing else was used either locally or internally.

The case is novel in that it is probably the first case of a negro being cured of this disease—the thicker pigmentary layer of the skin heretofore having been regarded as a barrier to the transmission of the Finson light, and in a great measure to the x-ray. It would appear from this isolated case that pigment is no barrier whatever to the transmission of radium.

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Whereupon the surgeon who had operated upon the same, turned the patient over to an x-ray specialist, who like himself failed. While the patient is not cured under radium treatment, the cancer has entirely disappeared, leaving a raw, healthy surface which under the further stimulation of the radium is rapidly filling in, assuring a speedy if not an immediate recovery.

The Washington physician conducting these experiments has discovered the important fact that fluids in which radium has been immersed acquire properties similar to the radium itself and retain their properties for a certain length of time. He has been experimenting with the internal administration and topical applications of the radio-active solution and important results are expected to follow.

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WRECKED BY RUFIANS

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## MORE CHANGES MADE IN B. & O. OFFICERS

J. H. Maddy Promoted to an Assistant to Third Vice President Potter. Walter Coon Succeeds Him.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 16.—J. H. Maddy, who has won much success as chief clerk to Third Vice President George L. Potter, has been promoted to be an assistant to the latter. This move has been expected some time, as a result of recent changes.

J. Walter Coon, who has been chief clerk to General Manager Simms, has been promoted to succeed Mr. Maddy. Mr. Coon has been in the service of the company for seventeen years. He started as a messenger in the office of the general superintendent at Chicago, and has been advanced to various positions until brought to Baltimore. His promotion was received among the young men in the service of the company as an indication of opportunities that were open to all with the ability to fill them.

Mr. Maddy has probably as many personal friends in Washington as any railroad man in America.

### PRISONER ATTEMPTED SUICIDE IN COURT ROOM

Opened a Vein When Told He Must Go to Jail.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 16.—L. S. Gaskin, who was arrested on the charge of larceny, attempted suicide in the police court today by cutting an artery in his right arm.

Gaskin was taken into custody on request of M. H. Meldrum, who says he gave \$150 to Gaskin to purchase picture frames for him. Neither frames nor money have since been seen by Meldrum. Gaskin claimed Baltimore as his home and represented a Northern picture house.

In court Gaskin asked one of the officers what would be done with him, and he was told he would be sent to jail until the case was heard by the higher court. Gaskin then quietly stepped to one side and opened the veins in his arm before anyone could interfere.

## BIRTH OF HIS BABIES TIMED EVEN TO A DAY

Five Boys Arrived on Same Date in Five Successive Years.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 16.—A fifth son was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. William Leroy. Their other children were born as follows:

January 15, 1900, George M. Leroy.  
January 15, 1901, P. Ashton Leroy.  
January 15, 1902, William Leroy.  
January 15, 1903, Alexander Goldsborough Leroy.

Leroy lives in Owen county. Mrs. Leroy was a Blue Grass belle, being a member of the noted Hardin family.

### MEDICAL.

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## WHAT MYSTERIOUS POWER DOES THIS MAN POSSESS?

THE DEAD BROUGHT BACK TO LIFE

Would Hardly Create a Greater Sensation Than Some of the Miraculous Cures He Performs With a Strange, Mystic Fluid Unknown to Medical Science.

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(From the Louisville Post.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Dr. Wallace Hadley, a well-known professor of chemistry at this city, has undoubtedly made the most sensational discovery of the century. Call it divine power, science, or whatever you will, the fact remains that in a single night, so to speak, he has completely upset modern medicine, defied all known laws of nature and utterly discomfited scientists and medical men. Physicians have sought out their worst cases and taken them to him, thinking that he might cure one or two. They have tried all their own remedies but all bread pills as compared with the remarkable discovery of this great professor. He has already done practically everything but bring the dead back to life, and scientists are now on the quiver, expecting him to do this.

"How did you happen to make this great discovery," asked a reporter who called to find out the secret of the tremendous furor he has created. "Ever since I graduated from the medical department of the University of Buffalo," said the doctor, "I have been convinced that no disease should cause death. God has, in my judgment, provided a cure for every ill to which the human race is heir. I must cure, and find this cure the same as man discovered the telephone, the electric light, and the airplane. I have found it. I have found the exact elements which compose a living being and sustain life, to disorganize the power which makes a man, animal, mineral, and chemical substances and combine them so they are found in a living being. I worked for years, day and night, before I made any great progress. My discovery came nearly all at once. As soon as I made it, I tried the preparation on myself. I gave it to all the sick persons I could find. I notified doctors to send me their supposed incurable cases. The results were simply miraculous. They far exceeded my most sanguine hopes. I particularly remember the case of Mrs. Marsh Miller, 520 Sixth Street, Harrisburg, Pa. She was one of my first patients. The doctors had given up to die. Her friends hourly expected to be called to her grave. She was so bad the night she received my treatment she did not expect to live until morning. She took two doses; it revived her; she slept; she is living today. Here is a copy of a letter from her. Read it for yourself."

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## DEFECTIVE STATUTE OPENS WORKHOUSE DOORS

TOLEDO, Ohio, Jan. 16.—It has just been discovered that when the new municipal code of Ohio was adopted, in October, 1902, the law giving police courts power in misdemeanors was unintentionally repealed, so that all convictions in Ohio in that court since that time are illegal.

The board of public service has announced, and police court officials concur, that all prisoners now in the workhouse on misdemeanor convictions from police courts, about 100 in all, must be released. This will be done in the morning. Fifteen that "escaped" will be officially discharged. This law applies all over the State.

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## WATCHMAN ASSAILED FOR RAILROAD FUNDS

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 16.—Burglars blew open the safe in the Bridgeville station on the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and St. Louis Railroad early this morning, obtained between \$40 and \$60 in change, and escaped. County Detective McMillan and special officers of the railroad are now in pursuit. The ticket office was wrecked and a piece of the safe door crashed through the partition into the general waiting room.

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"Do physicians take your treatment?" asked the reporter. "They certainly do," said the doctor. "I have written a large number now. Of course, they would not want you to publish their names, but here are their letters. You can read what they say. I cure them when all their own remedies fail. I have demonstrated beyond doubt that the most serious disease can be overcome. That the lives of thousands of men and women can be saved who have heretofore been carried off to the grave, estimate that I shall save the lives of over one hundred thousand people the coming year who would otherwise have died an untimely death."

"But how do you account for your wonderful power over death?" asked the reporter. "Step this way," said the doctor, leading the reporter into